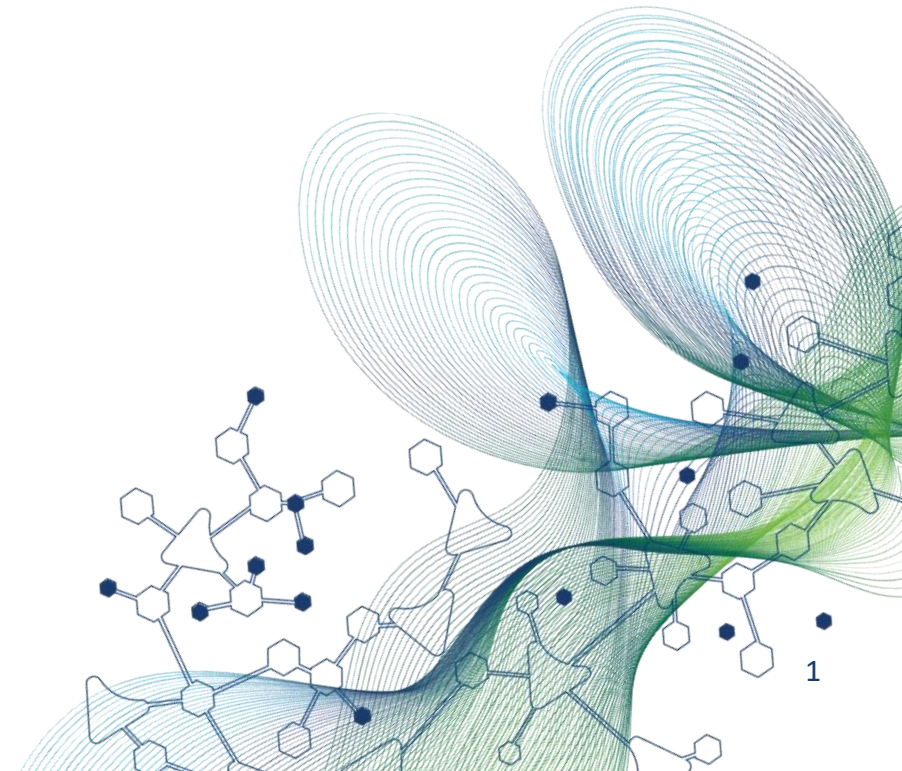


Alberta Innovates 2022 Chronic Wasting Disease Research Program

Information Webinar – 14 July 2022

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Director, Prion Programs



Land Acknowledgment

We acknowledge the many First Nations, Métis and Inuit who have lived on and cared for these lands for generations. We are grateful for the traditional Knowledge Keepers and Elders who are still with us today and those who have gone before us. Alberta Innovates respectfully acknowledges that we are situated on traditional territory of the Treaty 6, Treaty 7, and Treaty 8 First Nations; home to Métis Settlements, the Métis Nation of Alberta, and Regions 2, 3 and 4 within the historical Northwest Métis Homeland. We respect the histories, languages, and cultures of First Nations, Métis, and Inuit whose presence continues to enrich our vibrant community



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- The province's largest and most comprehensive research and innovation agency in Alberta.
- Is working to address today's challenges, create new opportunities and forge a healthy, sustainable and prosperous future for Albertans today and for generations to come.
- We lead and accelerate innovation from discovery to use across all sectors, in all parts of the province.



CWD Program

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Chronic Wasting Disease (CWD) Research Program

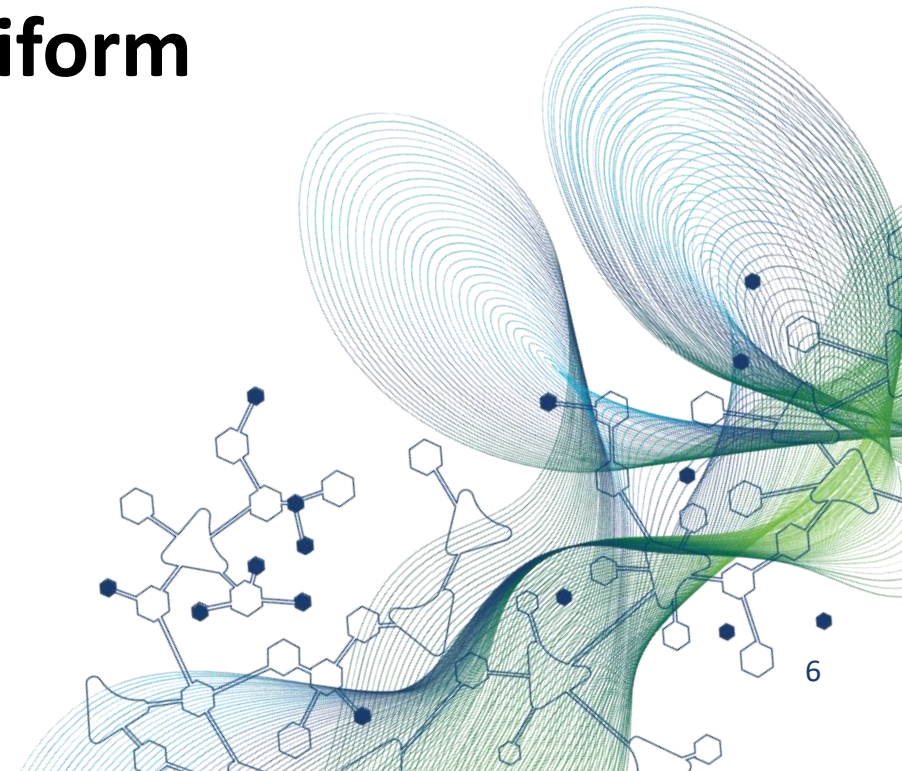
- \$1 million to support projects
- Individual projects may be up to \$250,000 over a two-year period
- Find solutions to challenges faced by Chronic Wasting Disease in Alberta and clearly demonstrate the social, economic and environmental benefits to Alberta
- Projects must include at least 25% partner funding and be completed by **December 31, 2024**



Themes accessible for funding

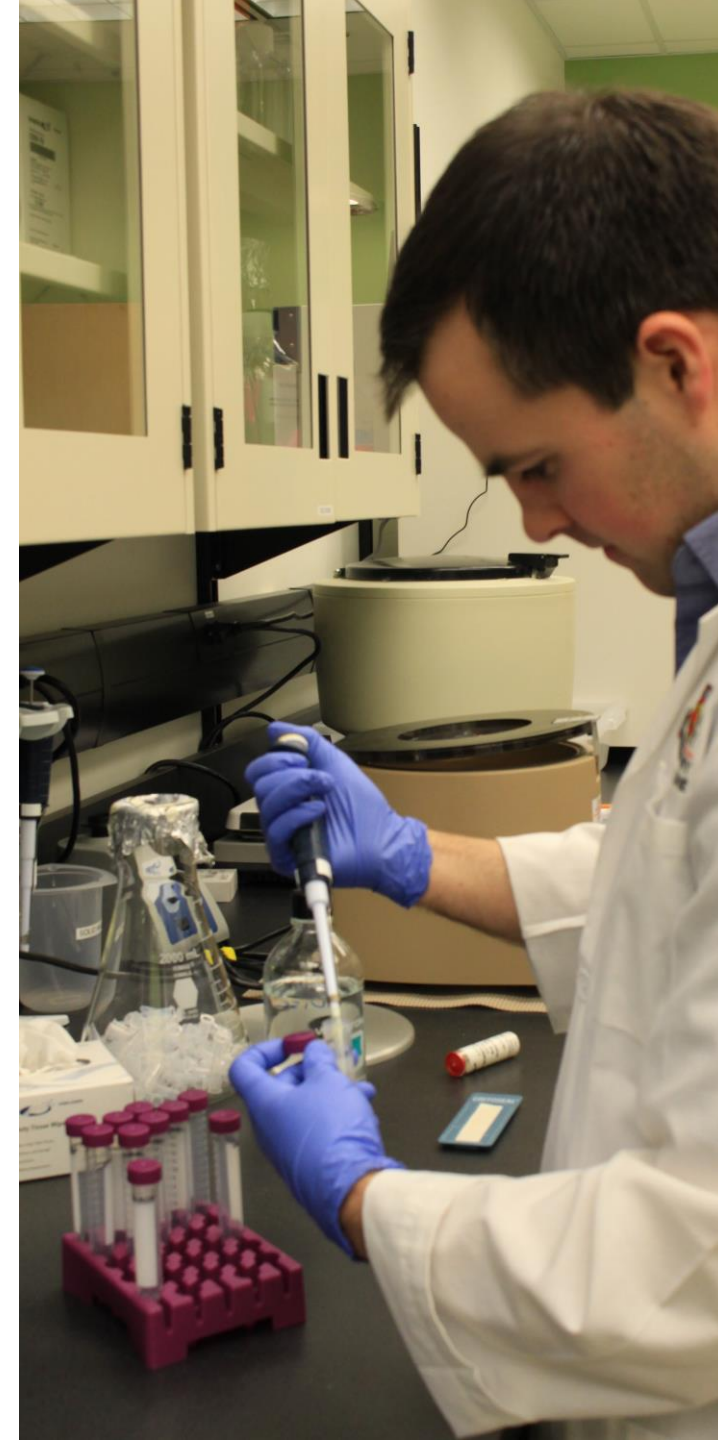
- Projects considered under this Program must fit in one of the following prion disease themes:

- 1. Protein Folding and Misfolding**
- 2. Pathobiology of Transmissible Spongiform Encephalopathies**
- 3. Surveillance and Control**
- 4. CWD and Society**



Eligibility Requirements

- Research will be carried out by at least two investigators from two research institutions or small-medium enterprises.
- There must be:
 - A nominated principal investigator, Alberta-based lead.
 - A cash contribution from an outside partner of 25% of the total amount contributed by the CWD Program.
- Projects must provide solutions to challenges faced by CWD and clearly demonstrate the social, economic and environmental benefits to Albertans.



Eligibility

- Primary applicants (*nominated principal investigator*) are not required to be based in Alberta but must demonstrate a clear value proposition for the province.
- Applicants are required to identify a collaborator within or outside of Alberta from a different research institution and/or small-medium sized enterprises (SME).
- Must be able to sign the agreement with Alberta Innovates.



Funding & Applications

- Project funding can be up to \$250,000 per project, over a two-year period and must conclude by December 2024.
- Applicants *must* identify the source(s) of partner funding and provide confirmation that funding of at least 25% of the amount provided by Alberta Innovates will be contributed to the Project from other sources.
- No restrictions on the number of proposals that can be submitted by any applicant.

Application Process



Phase 1: Engagement and Intake

1. Contact us
2. Register
3. Complete the intake form
4. Intake form review (Internal)



Phase 2: Full Proposal

1. Complete a Full Proposal
2. Review Process
3. Highly competitive



Phase 3: Agreement

1. To be drafted by November



Engagement and Intake Phase

Contact us!

PRION: ron.clarkson@albertainnovates.ca

TEL: 780-429-9349 CEL: 780 937-5162

Register in
SmartSimple

Register and submit an Intake Form

Due August 12, 2022

Review

Intake forms are reviewed by a team of specialists in prion science.



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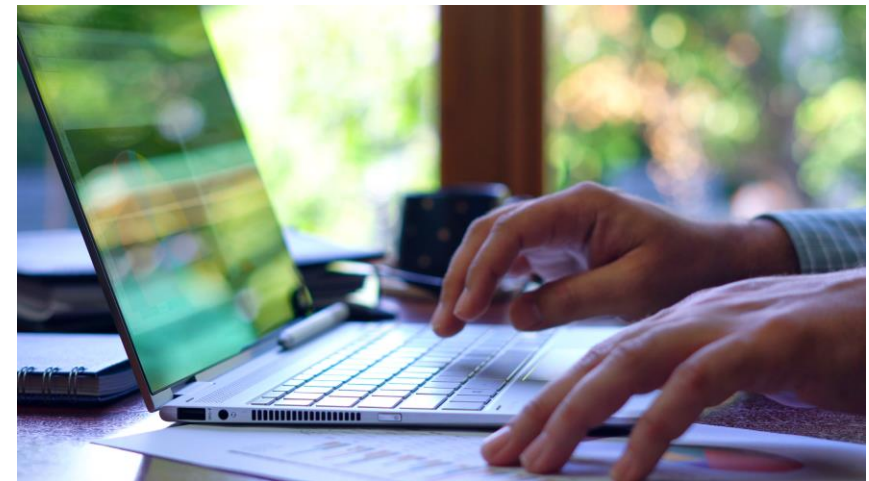
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Full Proposal Phase

- Upon approval of the Registration and Intake Form, applicants complete a Full Proposal.
- Full Proposals are due
Friday, September 23, 2022





Full Proposal Review Process

- **Competitive evaluation process** - internal and external reviewers in prion science
- Identity of reviewers is confidential
- Reviewers are subject to confidentiality and conflict-of-interest policies
- Decisions are final
- Reviewer comments will be provided to applicants

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Agreement Phase

- Read sample Investment Agreements
- Report on milestones progress and budget on an agreed to timeline
- Project payments are based on milestone achievement and progress reporting
- **Agreements will be drafted in November**





Timeline

- Submit your Registration and Intake form by August 12, 2022
- Full proposals due September 23, 2022
- Timeline for each phase is *project-specific* and dependent on the *timely submission* of intake and full proposal forms
- Agreements must be drafted by November
- **Highly competitive process**



Advice for your Submission

- Read the Program Guide carefully
- Think about what problem/challenge you are trying to address
- Explain how your project is going to help solve the problem of Chronic Wasting Disease
- Identify potential end users
- Economic, environmental and social impacts

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Welcome to the Alberta Innovates Portal

Alberta Innovates delivers 21st-century solutions for the most compelling challenges facing Albertans. We work closely with government, industry, academia and others to support and accelerate innovation from the generation of ideas, through applied testing and validation, to commercialization or end use, across all of Alberta's key sectors. We enable researchers, entrepreneurs and industry to test and grow their ideas, products and businesses in lasting ways to positively impact the province's economy, the environment and the quality of life for all Albertans.

Our new Portal enables you to seamlessly manage and view all of your funding-related interactions with us, from creating and submitting your application, to reports on results easily and efficiently, and everything in between.

We recommend browsers such as Google Chrome, Firefox, Safari, or Microsoft Edge for the best experience. Internet Explorer is not supported.

If you require assistance with the Registration Process, we have produced a number of [Registration Information Videos](#) that may assist you.



Registration

I am a representative of a(n):

Academic Institution - Alberta

Academic Institution - Other

For-Profit Organization - SME

For-Profit Organization - Other

Government Entity - Alberta and Affiliates

Government Entity - Other

Non-Profit/Not-for-Profit Organization

What should I choose?

The Applicant on your Application will be the organization you are representing. If you are representing multiple organizations, you will need to sign up individually for each organization you represent. Please note: at this time we do not have any programs geared towards individuals/sole proprietors, so you cannot register as one of these.

The following will help you understand which organization you are representing. Please follow the statement that matches you best. For more information or questions, please contact smasupport@albertainnovates.ca



Welcome Ronald Clarkson



Organization Profile



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Applications

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Smart Simple

- **CWD Research Program Application** : includes a series of headings; each heading is a section in the application that is to be completed.

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Program Name: CWD Research Cycle Name: CWDRT 2021-2022

The red * before a question indicates that it is mandatory for submission.

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Instructions and Disclaimer

This Application form collects pertinent information about the Investment being requested. This enables Alberta Innovates to assess the merits of the proposed Application and its fit with our strategic priorities and corporate goals. The Applicant must complete the Application in its entirety. Applicants that fail to complete all mandatory sections may not be considered. It is essential that you read and understand the Program Guide before completing this Application. All capitalized words or terms which are not defined within this Application have the respective meaning as set out in the Program Guide or Investment Agreement. In this Application, the term "you" and "Applicant" are used interchangeably.

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PROJECT OVERVIEW

PROJECT WORKPLAN, BUDGET AND TEAM

* Project Title

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Questions...

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